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Sir:

This Response is submitted in reply to the 10 April 2006 Office Action in which claims 30-51 were rejected in the above-identified patent application. A Response to the 10 April 2006 Office Action is due 10 July 2006. Accordingly, this Response is being timely filed.

Applicant requests that the Examiner consider the following Response, withdraw the pending restriction requirement, and pass the above-identified application to issue.

The claims pending in the subject application are as follows.